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SUBJ: OCTOBER 14 POLADS: CSCE IMPLEMENTATION

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1. POLAD'S OCTOBER 14 DISCUSSION OF CSCE IMPLEMENTATION CONCENTRATED ON CONSULTATION AND COORDINATION WITH NEUTRALS. US REP (LEDOGAR), DRAWING EXTENSIVELY ON REF B, TOLD ALLIES OF ACTION IN THIS AREA CONTEMPLATED BY US. US REP ASKED FOR ALLIES' REACTIONS TO US APPROACH AND URGED THEM TO TAKE SIMILAR STEPS TO ENLIST SUPPORT OF NEUTRALS AND NON-ALIGNED. IN RESPONSE TO REQUEST, US REP AGREED TO DISTRIBUTE WRITTEN OUTLINE OF KEY ELEMENTS IN US APPROACH TO NEUTRALS.

2. ITALIAN REP (FERRETTI), SPEAKING PERSONALLY, WELCOMED THE US APPROACH, FOUND IT WELL CONCEIVED AND PRESENT, AND BELIEVED ITALY WOULD ACT IN A SIMILAR VEIN. HE EMPHASIZED ROME'S INTEREST IN KEEPING NEUTRALS AND NON-ALIGNED CLOSE TO ALLIED POSITIONS AS THEY WERE DURING GENEVA PHASE. ITALIAN REP THOUGHT, GIVEN ITS BASIC WESTERN ORIENTATION AND EC MEMBERSHIP, NON-ALIGNED IRELAND COULD BE EXPECTED TO SHARE ALLIED VIEWS ON CSCE IMPLEMENTATION. HE SAID ITALY IS ALSO WORKING BILATERALLY WITH NEUTRAL EUROPEAN NEIGHBORS (YUGOSLAVIA, AUSTRIA AND SWITZERLAND) TO SEEK THEIR CONTINUING SUPPORT FOR WESTERN CSCE POSITIONS.

3. IN DISCUSSING COUNCIL OF EUROPE CONSIDERATION OF CSCE IMPLEMENTATION, US REP DREW ON REF C AND SUGGESTED THAT MEETING OFFERED FURTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR COORDINATION WITH NEUTRALS.

4. IN ONLY REFERENCE TO PREVIOUS POLAD'S DISCUSSION ON ORGANIZING FOR CSCE FOLLOW-UP, DANISH REP (MORCH) SAID HIS AUTHORITIES HAD COMMENTED FAVORABLY ON US CHECKLIST DISTRIBUTED TO ALLIES ON SEPTEMBER 30 (REF A). WHILE DANES THOUGHT US LIST WAS AN EXCELLENT APPROACH, THEY NOTED THAT IT WAS TAILORED MORE TO CONCERNS AND CAPABILITIES OF LARGE POWERS LIKE US RATHER THAN TO THOSE OF SMALLER ALLIES. STREATOR

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